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The Beginning

Administrative Heads Appointed

Miss Evelyn Gray MacLean
. . Dean of Women . .

A new university, the University of Windsor, which will include the present Assumption University of Windsor and its non-denominational constituent, Essex College, will be incorporated and chartered on July 1, 1963.

The University of Windsor will be under a non-denominational Board of Governors of twenty-eight members composed of representatives of the Windsor area. Six have been appointed by the Board of Governors of Assumption University of Windsor, fourteen have been selected from the present Board of Essex College and the Board of Regents, two have been appointed by the Alumni Association and four have been appointed by the Lieutenant-Governor in Council.

The new university will likewise see a new Dean of Women when fall studies commence. The appointment of Miss Evelyn Grey McLean, a nineteen fifty-eight graduate of Assumption, to the position of Dean of Women will mean many beneficial changes on the campus for women students.

University of Windsor Board of Governors

Alphonse Gignac, Richard Graybiel, Rev. E. C. LeBel (president), Anthony Fuerth, Rev. N. J. Ruth, John Stuart, Joseph Deane, William Grant, Dr. G. Malcolm Morton, Rev. D. J. Mulvihill, John Page, Eli Goldin, James Holden, Raymond Lyons, Rev. E. A. Roberts, Rev. C. P. Crowley, Richard Waddington, Rev. H. V. Mallon, John Whiteside, Clare MacLeod, H. Clifford Hatch.

Of A New Era

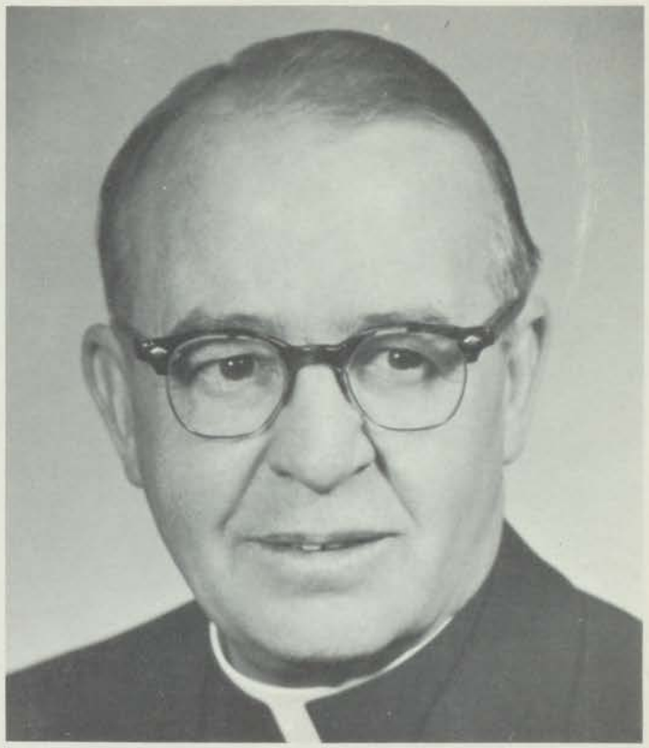
Reverend Eugene LeBel

U. of W. Head

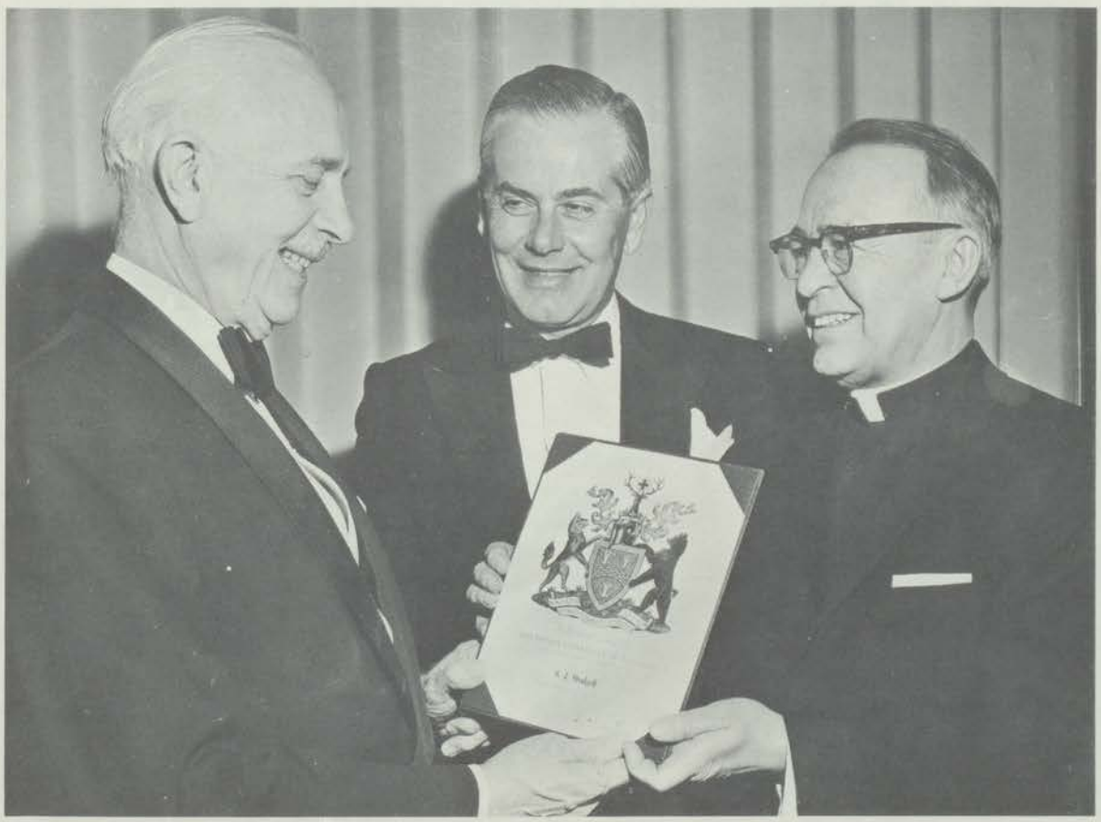
Reverend Eugene Carlisle LeBel, C.S.B., president and vice-chancellor of Assumption University of Windsor, has been appointed the first president and vice-chancellor of the new, non-denominational University of Windsor.

Father LeBel has been on the staff at Assumption since 1941 and has been president and vice-chancellor of Assumption University since 1956. He was chiefly responsible for Assumption obtaining its own character as a university in 1953. In 1957 he directed the conference which led to the affiliation of Canterbury College, an Anglican arts college, the first such affiliation with a Catholic University anywhere.

John J. Stuart, chairman of the Board of Governors of University of Windsor had this to say of Father LeBel's appointment: "Father LeBel has been recognized and esteemed for his leadership in higher education in this community for more than a decade and the Board of Governors is grateful that he has agreed to serve as our first president."



Rev. Eugene C. LeBel, C.S.B.



As Mr. John J. Stuart looks on, Rev. E. C. LeBel, C.S.B., presents a plaque to Mr. S. J. Stodgell of the Essex College Board of Directors in acknowledgement of Mr. Stodgell's assistance in the development of Assumption University.

The Adminis

In recognition of the key mechanism of the administrative

. . . for their invaluable services rendered

J. E. Thompson, M.C., B.A.
Director of Development

Mr. Thompson attended the University of Manitoba and upon graduation became a newspaper reporter and editor in Toronto and Winnipeg. During World War II he served with the Canadian Army overseas. Following the war, he held a position as foreign correspondent for Newsweek magazine (New York and Berlin). He then took up a position as manager of public relations at Ford Motor Co. of Canada. He came to Assumption as Director of Development in 1958. He is also a director of the Canadian Council of Christians and Jews and vice-chairman of the Tourist and Convention Bureau of the Windsor Chamber of Commerce.

Mr. Morgan is a native of Windsor, graduating from Sandwich (Forster) Collegiate. He obtained his degree in civil engineering at Queen's University in 1948. He was then employed by the city of Windsor as a building inspector until 1957. At that time he was appointed to his present position as Building and Grounds Superintendent.

W. Morgan, B.Sc.
Building and Grounds Superintendent

J. Schiller, B.A.
Accountant

Mr. Schiller is also a native of Windsor, having attended Assumption High before World War II. During the war he served both in the Canadian Army and the R.C.A.F. In 1948, he graduated from Assumption University. In 1958 he became the accountant at Assumption. In the intervening ten years he held positions with Zenith Radio Corporation of Canada, a local accounting agency, and Ford Motor Co. of Canada.

trative Staff

machine which so aptly operates our university;

with such loyalty and dedication.

Mr. Nairn was originally from Edinborough, Scotland. His Canadian home town is Fort William, Ont., where he graduated from Fort William Collegiate. During the Second World War, he served with the R.C.N.V.R., specializing in anti-submarine warfare. He graduated from the University of Western Ontario in 1951 (B.A. Honours Business Administration), at which time he took up a position with Central Mortgage and Housing Corporation. From 1957-1958 he served as Business Administrator for the Board of Education of Chatham, Ont. In 1958 he came to Assumption as assistant Business Administrator of Essex College. In 1960 he received his appointment as Comptroller of Essex College.

R. A. Nairn
Comptroller E.C.

W. F. Dollar, M.A., A.M.L.S.
Librarian

Mr. Dollar is a graduate of the University of Western Ontario (B.A.), Assumption University of Windsor (M.A., Philosophy), and the University of Michigan (A.M.L.S.). He has served on the university library staff since 1953. In 1957, he became assistant Chief Librarian, to be followed by his appointment as Chief Librarian in 1960.

Mr. Kennedy was born and raised in Chatham, Ontario where he received his early education. He attended Assumption University and graduated in the spring of 1960 (B.A.). At that time he was employed by the Windsor Star as a news reporter. In 1961, he left the Star to become city hall reporter for the Regina Leader Post (Sask.). In 1962 he became city hall reporter with The London Free Press (Ont.). In November of 1962, he joined the administrative staff of Assumption University as alumni secretary and assistant director of development. In this capacity his main task is to maintain communications between the alumni and the university.

T. Kennedy
Alumni Secretary

VICE-PRESIDENT—Dr. Frank A. DeMarco (left), principal of Essex College and dean of the faculty of applied science at Assumption University, has been appointed vice-president of the new University of Windsor. He is congratulated by John J. Stuart (right), chairman of the board of governors. In centre is Rev. E. C. LeBel, C.S.B., president of the new university.

Key Appointment Made

Appointment of Dr. Frank A. DeMarco, principal of Essex College and dean of the faculty of applied science at Assumption University, as vice-president of the new University of Windsor, was announced today by John J. Stuart, chairman of the board of governors.

Dr. DeMarco assumes his new post immediately. Mr. Stuart said, although the new university officially begins operations July 1, when Assumption University and Essex College merge with the new institution. Rev. E. C. LeBel, C.S.B., was appointed president of the University of Windsor Feb. 5.

In his new post, Dr. DeMarco will be responsible directly to the president for the administration of all the university's affairs.

Born in Podargoni, Italy, in 1921, Dr. DeMarco came to Canada at an early age and received his primary and secondary education in North Bay, Ont. He entered the University of Toronto in 1938 as the student with the highest marks from the separate school district of Nipissing and the recipient of the Robert Simpson Scholarship.

In 1942 he received the degree of Bachelor of Applied Science degree which was conferred in 1943. The School of Engineering awarded him a fellowship for research leading to the Doctor of Philosophy degree which the University of Toronto conferred in 1950.

From 1943 to 1946 Dr. DeMarco served as an instructor on the faculty of the University of Toronto. In 1946 he joined the staff of the chemistry department of Assumption. He has served as assistant professor, professor and head of that department. From 1949 to 1955 he was also director of athletics at Assumption.

With the establishment of Essex College in 1956, Dr. DeMarco became chairman of the college's staff committee. The next year he was also named acting head of the engineering department. He was appointed principal of Essex College in April, 1959, and dean of the faculty of applied science of Assumption University in November, 1959.

Dr. DeMarco has had varied industrial experience. He did summer work with International Paper Company, electrolytic research with International Nickel Company, analytical work with Canadian Industries Limited, engineering work with the Kalamazoo Vegetable Parchment Company, and consulting work with the DeHavilland Aircraft in polyester resins.

Graduates . . .

Arts

Mrs. L. R. Gieswein
Windsor

Mrs. Sophia Glinski
Windsor

Mr. A. E. Langford
Essex

Mr. R. J. Wilford
Windsor

Mr. P. Arber
Civil Engineering, Windsor

Engineering

Mr. M. Dienesch
Engineering, Windsor

Business Administration

Mr. P. G. Bond
Windsor

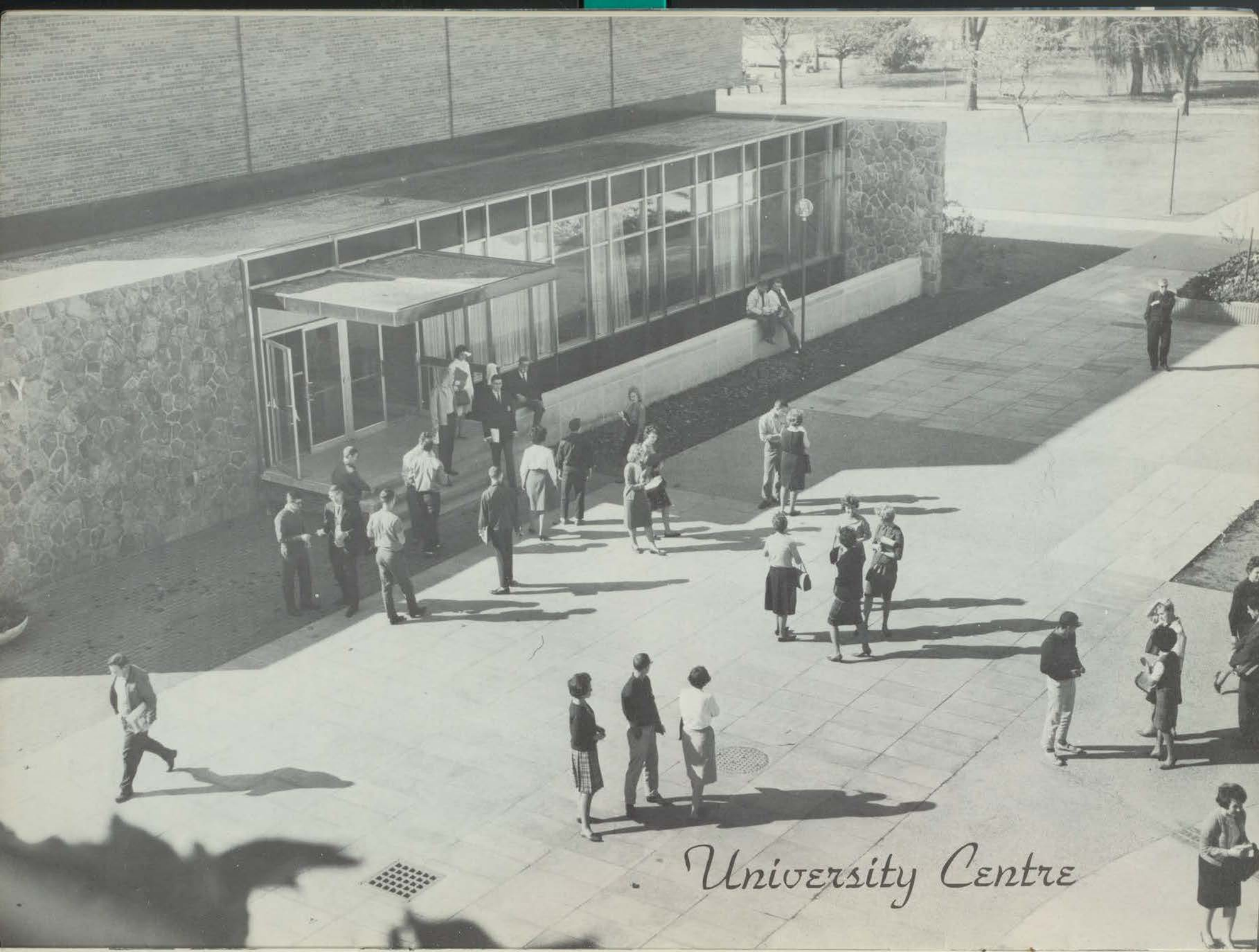
Mr. O. C. Brent
Riverside

Mr. G. F. Clifford
Leamington

Mr. B. E. Godin
Windsor

Mr. T. F. Hogan
Windsor

Mr. L. E. Robinson
Leamington


University Centre

Hockey All Stars

B. Tartaglia, L. Sexton, P. Mardini, R. Caverzan, P. Knowlton, K. McKinnon, J. Sanko, F. Luxford (Coach), B. Turner, K. Lang, B. Burkart, L. Simonini, B. Bjorkquist, D. Carter, K. Schiedel, H. Barsanti, C. Giovanatti, T. Kennedy (Manager).

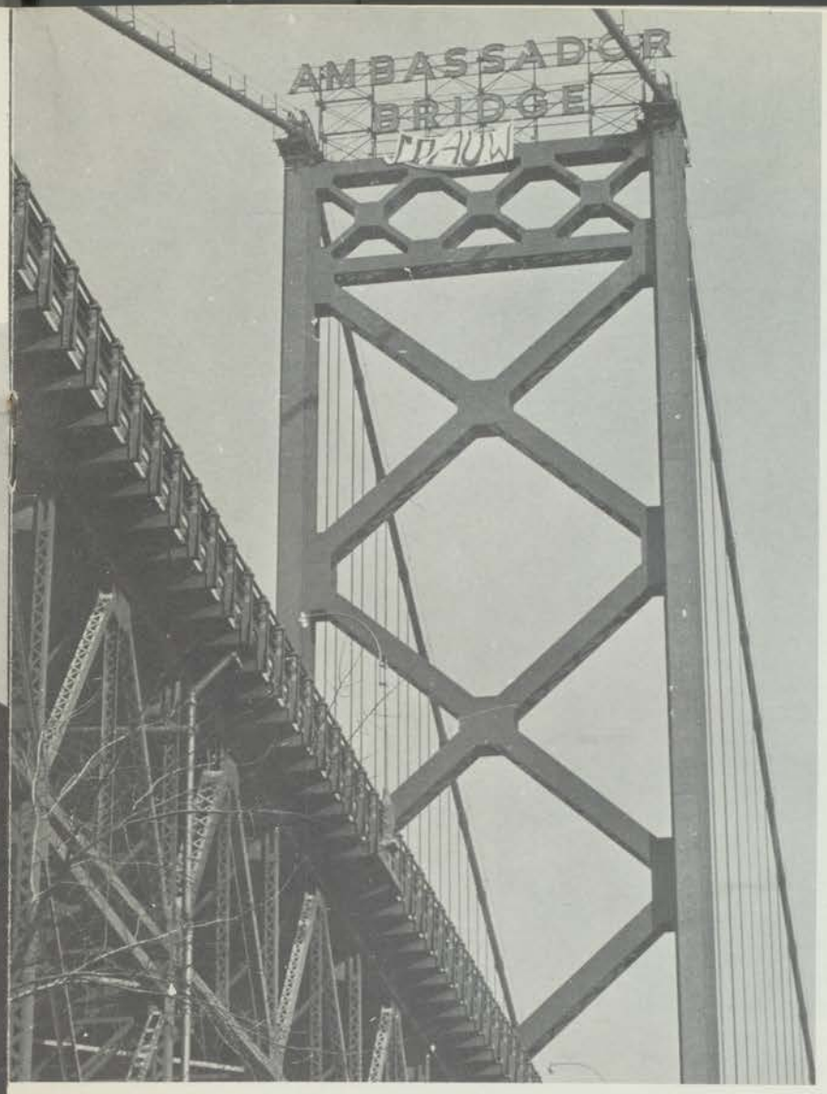
Science Team

K. Schiedel, B. Cotnam, T. Cheslea, J. Master, J. Trizski, V. Mandolesi, B. McCabe, A. Trinca, J. Yagar, D. Butcher, M. Bondy, J. Doumolin, J. Dallard, T. Kennedy (Coach).

Canadian Champions

Front: Bob Horvath, Bill Brown, Bob Samaras (Coach), Jack Kelly, Dick Moriarity. Back: Ed Chittaro (Asst. Coach), Bernie Friesmuth, Bill Hassett, Tom Henderson, Greg McCullough, Ed Petryshyn, Joe Green, Bob Hanson, Bob Carron (Manager).

Assumption University eliminated Loyola of Montreal in the semi-finals and fought from behind to defeat Acadia of Nova Scotia in the finals, as they became the rulers in Canadian College Basketball. After an easy 103-44 victory over Loyola, the Lancers ascended to the summit of success by slipping past Acadia 53-50. While winning the OQAA and CIAU championships, the team compiled a sparkling 22-3 record in their first season under coach Bob Samaras. Assumption was led throughout the tournament by center Bill Brown, who was high scorer in both tournament games. Bill was rewarded for his fine performance when he, along with co-captain Jack Kelly, were named to the tournament all-star team. Finishing out the team were John Cook of UBC, and Richie Spears and Dan Parrinelli of Acadia. Spears, the sharp-shooting guard-forward from Acadia, was also the most valuable player in the tournament.



"The Height Of Spirit"

Spirit is High !!

Not only the Lancers were impressive during this first C.I.A.U. tournament, but also the student body. The spirit and support by the students was unlimited. Many stunts were used to raise the spirit to its zenith and all were successful.

A fad was born at Assumption when about sixty students aimed at a world record for basketball bouncing. The ball was started on its long marathon by members of the Lancers at noon on Thursday, March 14th. Volunteers took over and kept the ball bouncing until 6 P.M. the following evening, thirty hours later.

Student spirit scaled new heights when three of the more energetic and light-headed students climbed the 200-ft. pillars of the Ambassador Bridge and erected a huge sign reading "GO A.U.W." A similar sign was also placed on the front of the Windsor City Hall Building.

John Pollard, Mike Murphy and Bob Meconi show us the easy way to keep the ball bouncing.

Visiting basketball players were made very welcome when they were met at the Windsor Airport by a carvalcade consisting of twenty-five cars. From there they were escorted to the Prince Edward Hotel where they stayed.

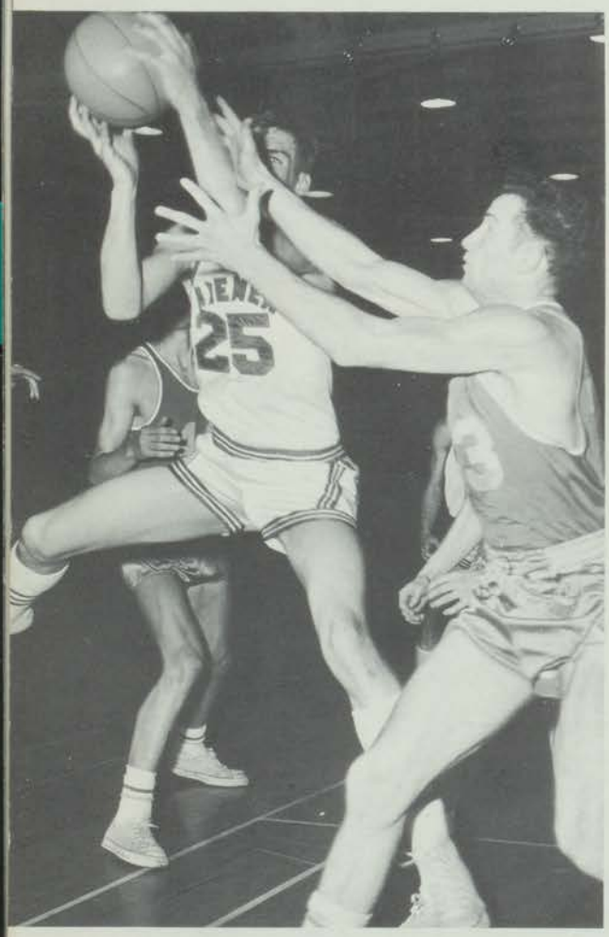
On the following day another carvalcade was formed and travelled to the CKLW radio and television station where the members of the basketball bouncing marathon were interviewed.

Windsor sportswriters and sportscasters were very co-operative in the fine coverage which they gave the tournament. They covered the huge pep rally that took place the day before the opening of the tournament and filmed excerpts to be shown on television.

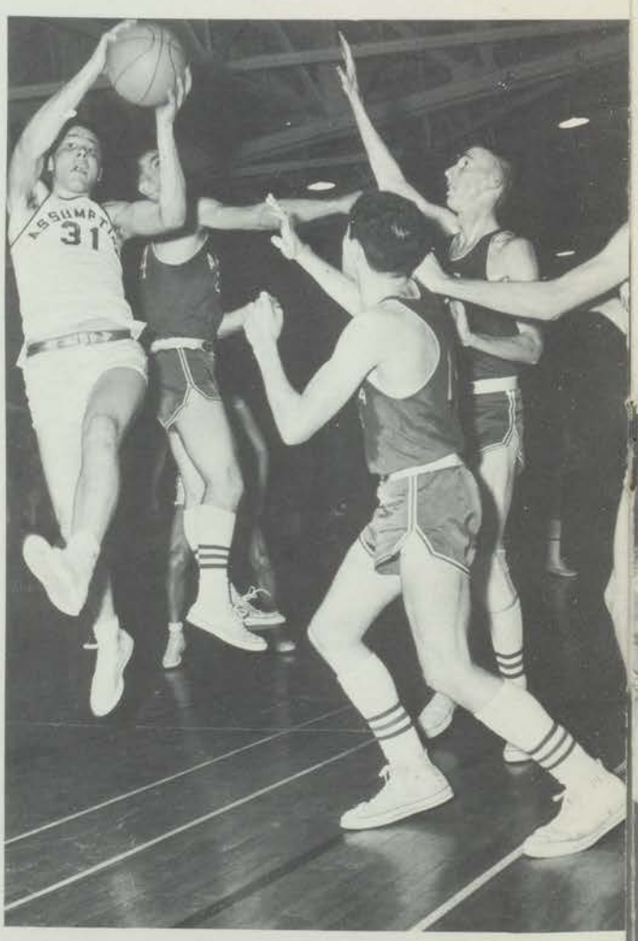
The first Canada-wide tournament was conducted in splendid fashion, setting a high standard for an inaugural event. The visitors were impressed and went home to spread the fine showing of Assumption. The calibre of basketball was excellent and was topped by a most thrilling title game.

Action

Go Team Go . . .



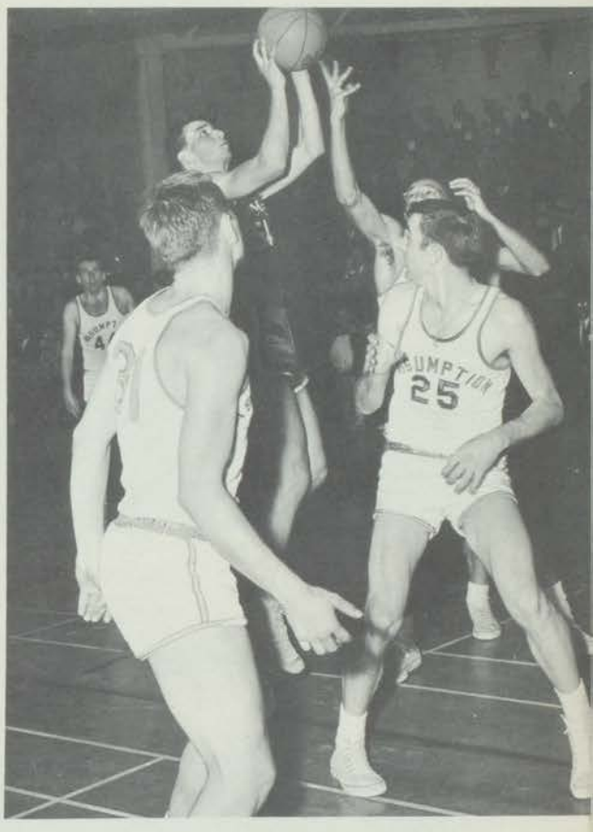
Jim Kreutzer of Acadia battles with Court Brouson of UBC.



Brown drives for Assumption.

Highlights

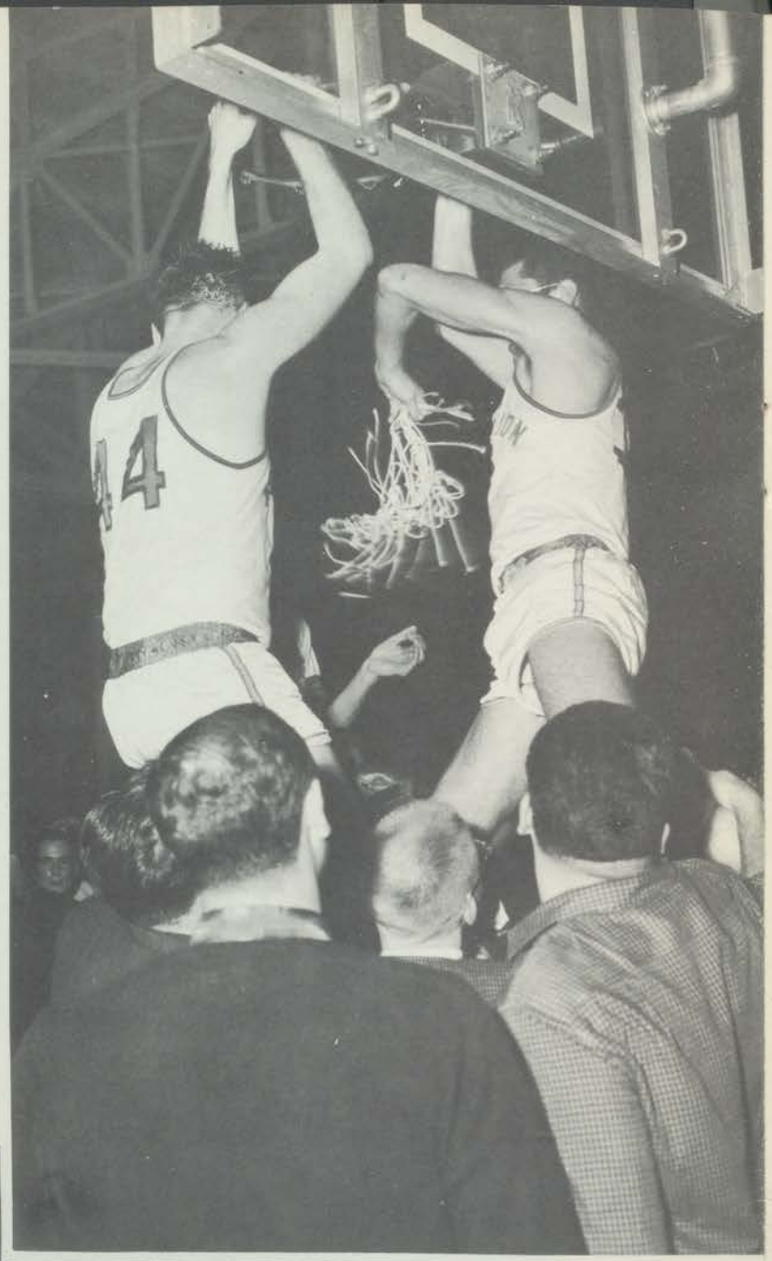
All Eyes On The Coach . . .



Ron Markey takes aim for the Loyola quintet.

Gord McKay, Pete Simmonds meet headon.

Lancers Horvath, Petryshyn harass Charlie Smith.



Victory

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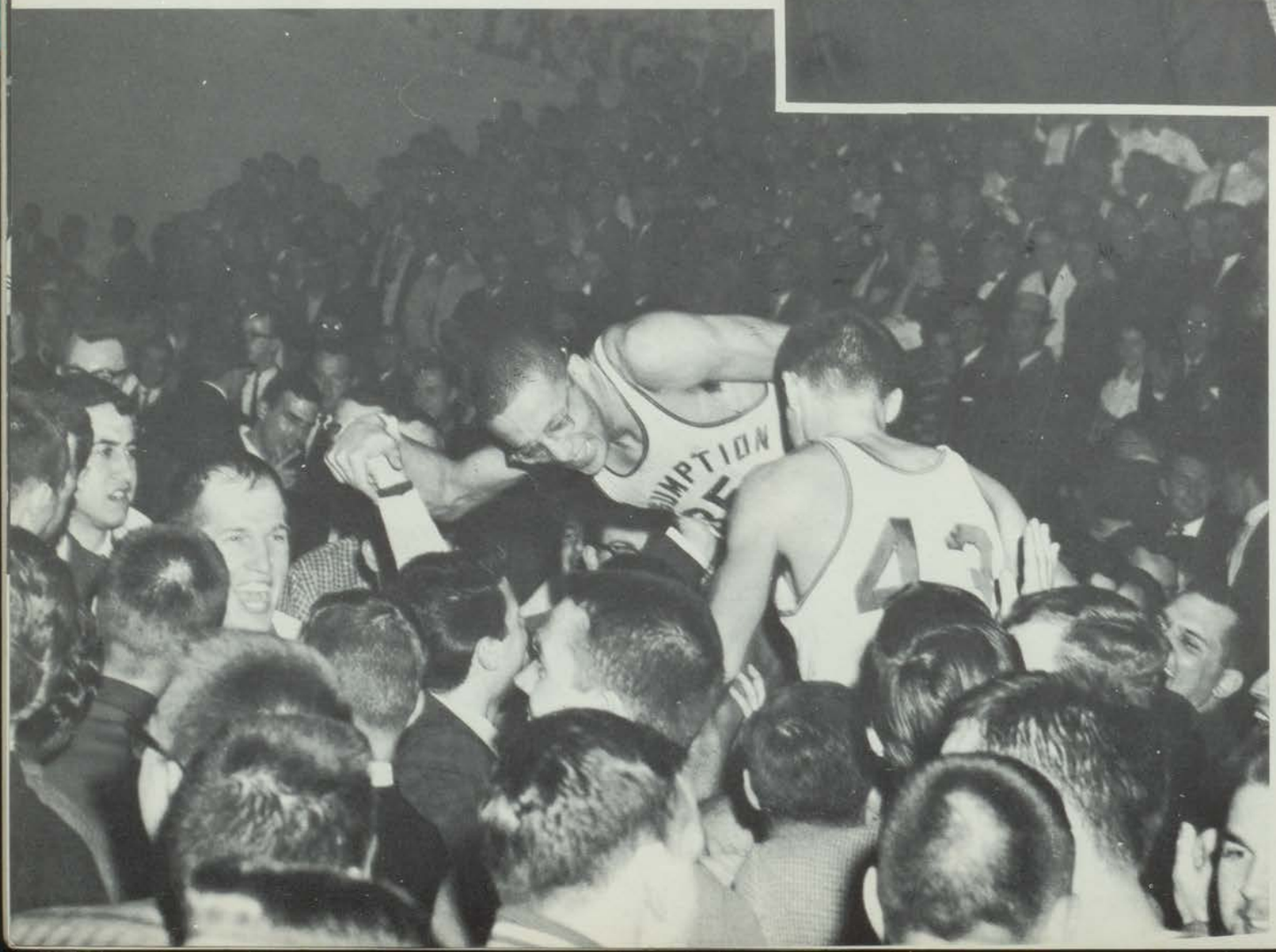

Carolyne Walling

Carolyne Walling Wins Glamour Contest

A fashion show, sponsored by the Lance, set the scene for the selection of the best-dressed girl on campus. From thirty entrants, the judges chose the sixteen girls who appeared as models in the show.

From this group, Carolyne received the title of "Best-Dressed Girl". She is now entered in Glamour magazine's contest to choose the "Ten Best-Dressed College Girls" across the United States and Canada.

Assumption's Five Best-Dressed Girls

Nancy Shaw, Carolyne Walling, Betty Ann Sutherland, Susan Callaghan, Ginny McHugh.

Arts Ball '63

Sue Deziel

Eleanor Duda

Carolyn Walling

Jane Ptaszek

Princesses

And they whirl . . .

. . . In the Ballroom of the Prince Edward.

At the Ball . . .

Assumption's annual Arts Ball was held at the Prince Edward Hotel in Windsor. The setting, a colonial style ballroom with the sparkling chandeliers, formed a suitable background for the formal attire of the couples.

Assumption's biggest affair of the year, the Arts Ball was a social success.

Peter Knowlton, Sue Deziel, Byron Rourke, Carolyn Walling, Diane DeRoller, John Feracutti, Eleanor Duda, Frank Lemire, Jane Ptaszek, Frank Gibbin.

The Queen, her Prince . . .

The Queen and Her Court

Lovely and charming Diane DeRoller reigned over the Arts Ball of 1962-63 with her gracious attendants, Sue Deziel, Eleanor Duda, Carolyn Walling and Jane Ptaszek.

Diane, crowned by Judy Stephansky, Arts Ball Queen, '62, was presented a bouquet of red roses by the Social Chairman, Jerry Leroy.

Diane has the additional honour of being the last Arts Ball Queen in the history of Assumption University.

. . . And her Court.

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